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Special points of interest:

- Please email Victor for your lunch entrée choice (8 Oz. sirloin steak or chicken ???) ASAP at waves3464@hotmail.com

Welcome to our first end of the year tournament at Los Serranos (North)



These IRS Lady golfers are serious about their golf game!
From left to right, Gaye Thompson, Linda Donato, Marty Yuhnke and Inja Hughes

Winners of Wilson Tournament

Ladies: Gaye Thompson

Guest Flight: Gerry Carmona

Low Gross: George Nichols

A Flight:
1st: Steve Nichols
2nd: Jerry Chang
3rd: Ron Havens

B Flight:
1st: Chuck Wong
2nd: Ron Yamada
3rd: Stephen Klotz

C Flight:
1st: Rich Brawley
2nd: Jim Judd

Long Drive: Jesus Gonzales ?
Barbara Havens ?

Closest to Pin:

- #3 No winner
- #11 George Nichols
- #15 Stan Gin

Please contact Victor Vannukul @ 800-381-6813 or email him at waves3464@hotmail.com to claim your prize.

Congratulation to the winners!

Special Announcement for February Tournament!!

“We will randomly paired the group at Aliso Viejo Tournament. You will get the chance to play with other ALSRI members instead of your usual golf buddies.”

Los Serranos (North) End of the Year Tournament
Friday, December 12, 2003
8:00A SHOTGUN

Please arrive at the course no later than 7:00A . Range balls are included with your fee.
Lunch serves at the Clubhouse Main Dining area around 1:30P.M.

Group Time	Name	Flight	Group Time	Name	Flight
1A 8:00A	Larry Taylor	A	13A	Bill Kim	A
	Tim Baldwin	B		Duane Anderson	C
	Howard Wu	A		Ron Gonzell	G
	Richer Dubois	B		Wayne McEwan	G
1B	Chris Olson	A	13B	Jerry Chang	A
	Victor Fracassa	G		Dan Hoshi	C
	Jack Weed	A		Alex Wong	B
	Jim Nelson	A		Chuck Wong	B
18A	Don Toda	G	12A	Chuck Fullington	B
	Lincoln Tadio	G		Gary Bohonus	B
	Richard Sanchez	C		Barbara Havens	L
	David Sanchez	C		x	
18B	Ron Yamada	A	12B	George Rey	C
	John Fawaz	B		Mario Alvarez	C
	Ed Ines	A		Augusto Rodriguez	B
	Dean Ines	A		Irene Zuniga	G
17A	Steve Klotz	B	11A	Brian Shimizu	G
	Brian Klotz	A		Scott Kawasaki	A
	George Murphy	C		Mike Morikawa	B
	Dennis Murakami	A		Victor Vannukul	A
17B	Frank Wun	B	11B	Robert Watson, Jr	A
	Dennis Osaka	C		Kyle Watson	B
	Henry Eng	B		Bruce Engle	B
	Bob Henderson	C		Rich Brawley	C
16A	Steve Nichols	A	10A	Marty Yuhnke	L
	Kathy Nichols	L		Inja Hughes	L
	George Nichols	A		Linda Donato	L
	Jesus Gonzales	A		Nancy Stayer	L
16B	Rick Sackett	A	10B	John Pointer	G
	Vern Miller	B		Lee McCown	G
	Steve Ray	W		Dan Downing	G
	Lynn Bulgin	G		Dan Breeze	G
15A	Robert Sackett	C	9A	Ron Mendoza	C
	Stephanie Rogers	L		Hugo Ramirez	B
	Jack Froelich	B		Efren Ruiz	G
	Archie Nakaoka	C		X	
15B	Bryan Inoue	B	9B	Bill Evans	G
	Charlie Hong	G		Dan McKenna	A
	James Park	G		Steve Jagatich	G
	x			Jim Judd	C
14A	Daylin Faildo	C	8A	Art Martinez	G
	Greg Marinas	G		Robert Dykman	G
	Wayne Nakama	A		Tony Vasquez	G
	Nick Castro	B		Sal Rodriguez	G
14B	Stan Gin	B			
	Tom Veatch	C			
	Glenn Kormann	C			
	Jim Florio	G			

Men
Use December 2003 SCGA/USGA Index:
(Tentative Spread)

A F light: 0-14.9
 B: 15.- 22.9
 C: 23.0 and above

Ladies: Open
Guest: Open
Men: Use **WHITE** Tee
Ladies: Use **RED** Tee

Tournament Format:

Individual Stroke Play (NET) with Index

In case of an emergency, please call Los Serranos tournament starter, Victor @ 626-786-2356

Prizes and awards:

First place low gross prize

First place guest flight prize

First place ladies flight prize

First, second and third place prize: Flight A, B and C

Long Drive prize (Men & Ladies) , hole # 14

Closest to pin optional (\$5 entry fee for all four holes, 80/20% split). Hole #2, #6, #10 and #17

Raffle prizes for 2003 member on 9/2003

Driving Directions & Address:

Address: 15656 Yorba Avenue,
 Chino Hills, CA 91709
 (909) 597-1711

Directions: *Pomona Freeway (60)* to Hwy 71; South to Soquel Canyon Parkway; west to Los Serranos Country Club Drive; right to club.

Riverside Freeway (91) to Hwy 71 north to Soquel Canyon Parkway, west to Los Serranos Country Club Drive; right to club.

Challenge Corner

New, for the February 2004 Tournament!

The ALSRI Golf Club Competition Committee has established a slightly different format for the February tournament to be held at Aliso Viejo GC. Because of the growth our club has experienced over the past few years, we have several members who don't know one another, or the members of the Board. To address this issue, for the Aliso Viejo event only, we will be mixing up the pairings.

Instead of the foursomes/threesomes/twosomes that members normally play in, the pairings for those players who have not qualified for the Tournament of Champions in this event will be done so that no one plays in a group they regularly played with in past events. This will allow for an excellent opportunity to get the chance to meet other members of the club. The participants who have qualified for the Tournament of Champions will be paired with others who have qualified for the TOC. We will also place an ALSRI Board member in as many foursomes as possible, so that the membership can get a chance to meet these hard-working individuals.

For all subsequent events during the year, we will return to our past policy, and accept your requests for specific pairings, where possible. Who knows, after playing in the February tournament, you may have additional choices as to which group you want to play in.

2004 Tournament Schedule

<u>Date</u>	<u>Starting Time</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Fee</u>
Friday, 2/13/03	12:00P Double Tee Starting Time	Aliso Viejo Golf Course Aliso Viejo, CA	Tournament of Champions (Range balls include with your fee)	\$70
Friday, 4/23/04	8:00A	Los Serranos (North) Chino Hills, CA		\$48
Fri-Sun 6/24-27/04	7:00A SHOTGUN	Primm Valley Golf Course Primm, Nevada	IRS & Friends West Coast Tournament 4D/3N, 2 rounds of golf. Range balls. Banquet Dinner on 6/26/04 \$200 Double Occupancy (2 golfers) \$250 Single Occupancy LOCAL rate available upon request	\$250
Friday, 7/9/04	7:30A	Griffith Park (Harding) L.A., CA	ALSRI/HIRE Tournament	\$52
Friday, 8/20/04	7:30A	Rancho Park L.A., CA		\$47
Friday, 10/8/04	7:30A	Griffith Park (Wilson) L.A.		\$47
Friday, 12/10/04	7:30A SHOTGUN	Los Serranos (South) Chino Hills, CA	End of the Year Tournament (Lunch & Range includes) (Members Only Raffle Prizes)	\$65

Message from the President

.....Stephen Klotz



2004 ALSRI Board members

President
Stephen Klotz

Treasurer
George Murphy

Competition Chair
Larry Taylor

Asst. Competition Chair
Bryan Inoue

Tournament Chair
Rick Sackett

Handicap Chair
Archie Nakaoka

Rules Chair
Stan Gin

Membership
Howard Wu

Webmaster
George Murphy

Newsletter Editor
Victor Vannukul

Tournament Starter
(Vacant)

Member-At-Large
Bernard Penafuerte
Tim Baldwin
Don Stephens

Club website
www.alsri.com

I hope our current members have enjoyed our 12th year of challenging tournament venues, reasonable fees and the camaraderie and fun that we have at our events.

I would also like to welcome our new members for 2004 and I hope you will enjoy our 13th year as much as we have enjoyed the past 12 years!! Our club started with 35 members in 1991 and has now grown to over 120 members!!

Every year we have tried to introduce improved services and products to our members. This year we introduced the 1st annual "IRS and Friends West Coast Tournament" at Primm, Nevada. There were a large number of participants from the East Coast and we received very positive feedback from a customer service survey that was sent to all participants.

Next year we will be introducing the Paypal credit card option payment for members to pay their tournament fees via the ALSRI website. You can pay for the tournament fee using either your credit card or direct transfer from your bank account.

Also, in addition to our regular tournaments, there are two events being scheduled that we are very excited about offering to our members.

The 4th installment of "The ALSRI Cup" team competition will start during spring, 2004. Team captains will be forming teams in February 2004 and competition will begin in March 2004.

The 2^d annual "IRS and Friends West Coast Golf Tournament" will be held in June 2004 at Primm, Nevada. Based on the feedback we received from the survey, we have made improvements that will make everyone's experience even better than last year!

The 2004 tournament calendar is included in this edition of our newsletter, as well as details regarding the Primm tournament. Details regarding the ALSRI Cup competition will be coming out in the February, 2004 edition of our newsletter.

Good luck at Los Serranos, thanks for a great 2003 and I am looking forward to an even better 2004!!

Golfnut

....Honorable G. Nut



Jim Lamdagan, Nancy Stayer, Richard Sanchez and Fernando Beruman

ALSRI is proud to announce that we have selected ALISO VIEJO Golf Course to host our 2004 Tournament of

Champions. Aliso Viejo is located in the City of Aliso Viejo, CA. It's a scenic course designed by **Jack Nicklaus**. Aliso Viejo has three nine holes courses (27 holes). For our high noon, Friday, February 13th tournament, our group will tee off simultaneously from #1 hole on two courses to ensure that everyone would finish their round before sunset...14 ALSRI members survive Pala Mesa's infamous "2 Quick 2 Quirky" greens at the mini tournament hosted by Mr. Al Valentine last month. Most of the participants had at least 3 three putts holes per round. Yike! Big skin game winners are **Jill Oulett** (Non members) and **Larry Taylor**. Kudos to **Victor** whose ball ricocheted off #10 hole cart path, hit the tree twice but somehow bounce back on the fairway and beat **Bob Sackett's** second winning long drive by 30 yards and won \$10 cash prize.. It's nice to see

Jean "Song" Lee again at our Wilson tournament in October. Jean successfully trained her lawyer's husband, Peter, about the art of diaper changing (They just have their first son) which allows her to join her district counsel colleagues, **Mitch, Roger and Jim** on the links..Golfnut would like to welcome several new members to the ALSRI family. Here are some of our new members; **Mike Maynard, Kathy Nichols, Scott Kawasaki and Steve Ray**...Golfnut wishes for a speedy recovery for two of our members, **Bob Henderson** who had a bypass surgery last month and **Chuck "Wonderful Wedge" Wong** who hurt his foot on the treadmill machine...See you at Los Serranos. Please arrive early. Ranges balls include with your entry fee....



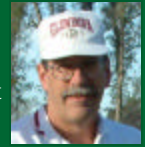
Mitch, his father-in-law, Jim Judd and Jean Song Lee



Legal eagles...Mitchell Davis, Roger Law and Jim Nelson @ Wilson #1 in October

Tournament Recipe

....Rick Sackett



Have you ever noticed how smoothly the ALSRI Tournaments run? Every other month another tournament, at a different course, do you ever take time to think about anything other than having fun and competing with friends during a round of golf? Perhaps you haven't been so lucky and some unfortunate occurrences have tainted your view of the ALSRI tournaments somewhat. Whichever the case maybe, I would like to give you a little behind the scenes look at the ALSRI Board and their dedication to the success of the ALSRI Golf Club's tournaments.

The process starts in September of the prior year (i.e.: for 2004, it started 9/12/2003, when the ALSRI Board met for lunch after the final Survivor Cup match). In September, in a scene reminiscent of the movie "Twelve Angry Men" (just kidding), the ALSRI Board nominated and voted on the 2004 ALSRI Tournament venues. The Board is usually in agreement on the favorite courses (Los Serranos' North and South Courses are perhaps the easiest courses for ALSRI to hold a tournament, Rancho Park and Griffith Park are City Courses that always get a large turnout, IRS and Friends Primm Tournament has become an instant favorite). This leaves only one or maybe two other choices of where to hold our 2004 tournaments.

ALSRI Board members volunteer to secure the contracts with the various courses. The contracts usually require a minimum number of players and a maximum number. The tournament green fees are higher than regular weekday prices, and carts are mandatory. The contracts may call for a deposit from the Club, usually a nominal amount. The contracts usually require a "final" headcount at 10 - 14 days prior to the tournament date.

In January, the ALSRI Board members sign-up to handle the various duties that remain for each tournament, the duties include: Tournament fees, Money Holes, Tournament and Cart Payments, SCGA Indexes, Prizes and Trophies, Scorecards, Starter, Scorecard Tabulation, and those are just the items that the Tournament Chairman has responsibility for. In addition to those items there is the President's job, (call bi-monthly meetings, send out an agenda and send out minutes, and many more things that Stephen Klotz so smoothly handles). There is the Newsletter with Victor Vannukul as editor, that is rushed to print in time for each email challenged club member to receive their copy before the tournament. There are the tournament pairings and tee times compiled by Larry Taylor that need to accommodate the many special requests and Board member volunteer assignments. There is the preparing of the Longest Drive and Closest to the Pin

placards. The Board members have to staff the tournament tables and be the first ones at the course and the last one's to leave. The scorecards are conveniently pre-printed by George Murphy. If you enjoyed the Skins feature of tournaments in the past, you'll have to thank Dennis Murakami for handling everything about that tremendous undertaking.

We have a Web Site with Tim Baldwin as the Webmaster, that allows people to sign-up for tournaments, we have a specific address in the Newsletter for Members to mail their checks and tournament registration. Board Members receive and convey oral and written commitments to play. With so many ways to sign up for tournaments, there is little wonder why there is sometimes a difficult coordination problem. Members are frequently late with their tournament registrations and late with their checks. The Board tries to gauge how many late registrants we will have and usually adds between 4-12 additional tee times to the total at the due date. This has been the reason for some snafus in the past. At Rancho Park we ended up with 69 paid members and only 68 tee times. Board member Howard Wu volunteered to play from the waiting list, this is a sacrifice that we do not intend to repeat. So, please make your registrations timely and consider making your payments at least 3 weeks prior to the tournaments. I'm sure there are more behind the scenes activities that even I am not aware of.

Therefore, the next time you are set to tee off for another fabulous ALSRI tournament, remember the hard work that the Board has done to make it an enjoyable experience.



Take a good look at our 2003's Tournament of Champions winner, Gary Bohonus.



Estimated volunteer time ALSRI officers spent (combined) on each tournament:

- 12 hours; pre-planning meeting and assignment of tournament responsibilities
- 4 hours; contract negotiation and follow-up
- 20 hours; communication with respect to tournament sign-up and tournament payment
- 30 hours; preparing newsletter including distribution of newsletter (email and hardcopy)
- 6 hours; tournament day duties (Sign-up, check-in and scorekeeping..Etc.)
- 4 hours; review of tournament feedback

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ALSRI GOLF CLUB TOURNAMENT SIGN-UP FORM

Event: Aliso Viejo Golf Club (Tournament of Champions) - Jack Nicklaus Designed

Date: Friday, February 13, 2004

Entry Fee: \$70

12:00P Double Courses Start (On #1 Tee on two courses) - Range Balls include

Player #1: _____

Player #2: _____

Player #3: _____

Player #4: _____

**Mail your check along
with the sign-up form
to:**

**ALSRI GOLF CLUB
C/O Rick Sackett
934 E. Bennett Avenue
Glendora, CA 91741**

**You may also sign-up your group online at our website at
WWW.ALSRI.COM.
(We hope to have our paypal account ready by 1/1/2004)**